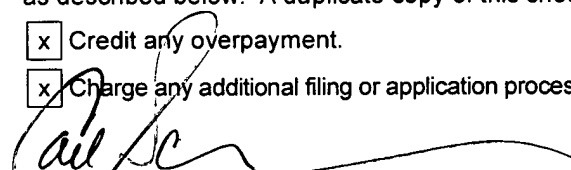


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Application No. 10/536,867-Conf. #4580		Filing Date May 27, 2005		Examiner L. L. Zheng	
				Art Unit 1793	
Applicant(s): Hitoshi MIZUNO et al.					
Invention: PRESSURE CONTROLLING APPARATUS, TRANSPORTING VEHICLE AND A UNIT FOR CONTROLLING PRESSURE DIFFERENCE					
<b>TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS</b>					
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.					
The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.					
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<b>TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT:</b>					0.00
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No additional fee is required for this amendment.					
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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

**Mail Stop Amendment**

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**I. INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated January 7, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as set forth below.

Claims 1-4 and 6-17 are pending in the application. By this Amendment, claim 5 is canceled without prejudice or disclaimer and claims 1, 8, 11, 12, 14, 16 and 17 are amended.

Applicants express their appreciation for the Examiner's indication of allowable subject matter in claim 5. The claims are amended to place the application in condition for allowance.

**II. AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS**

(There are no amendments to the drawings)